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"DUMPING AND TRANSPORTING ACCESSORY HAVING A TELESCOPING LIFT WITH A PIVOT MOUNTED TROLLEY" I, Victoria K. Hanson, hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the US Postal Service as first class O mail in an envelope addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the date of my signature

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

**Assistant Commissioner of Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Kindly amend the present application as follows:

## In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1, 4, 7, and 9 as instructed below and cancel claim 5. Claims 10-28 have been added. A copy of the marked up claims is attached hereto.